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One of the Last Letters of M. Thiers.

PARIS, August 20.—M. Thiers has also returned from his visit to L'Isld Adam, and is once more actively engaged in directing the political campaign. He has very little doubt about the triumph of the Republicans in the coming election. The other day the Duc de San Donato wrote to him asking him to stand godfather to his young son. M. Thiers responded as follows:

My Dear Duke:—I am very much touched by the happy thought you had to intrust me with the pleasant mission of being the godfather to your son. I have accepted it as the consecration of the souvenirs of our old time relations, as an evidence of friendship to your noble family, and as a new league with liberal Italy and with the friend of France. Tell the Duchess of San Donato how much I am pleased to find myself releted to her in this way and I say this for Madame Thiers as well as for myself. I am now engaged in preparing my works so that I can present them to my god son at the commencement of his library. I hope that the volumes I intend to give him, when they are decently bound, will form a basis of historic and literary instruction which will put him in the way of great studies necessary to his rank and his probable destiny. I make for him the most sincere wishes, and I hope that he will be worthy of his family and of his country.—Correspondence N. Y. Times.

The Telephone.

When Professor Bell lately made the initial trial between the offices of the Governor General and the Premier of the telephone, it was spoken of in terms of qualified satisfaction only. The sounds were plainly heard, but the articulation was not so distinct as to permit of all the conversation being understood. This was probably owing to the person at Rideau Hall not speaking with sufficient clearness. Yesterday, the capabilities of the instrument were further tested, not under the most favorable circumstances for the conveyance of sound over an exposed wire runing through the city, the weather being wet and windy. The results, however, were surprisingly good. The Premier, on the one side, held a lengthened conversation with his Secretary on the other, and almost every word was heard by both with the utmost distinctness. The tones were of course enfeebled by transmission, but there was no difficulty in plainly hearing what was said and in distinguishing the voices of the speakers.—Ottawa Free Press

English paper: "A person was recently sent to the bank for the purpose of drawing money. Two men stood near the place where he was counting over the amount he had received, some £600. One of the remarked to him, 'You've dropped a five pound note,' pointing to a paper on the floor. 'All right, sir,' was the reply; I'll just put my foot on it for the present,' which he did and continued counting his money It was not till the sharpers learned that they were trying their game on a smart fellow that they informed him that the five pounds note was dropped by one of them. Any thoughtless person would have stooped for the note and in all probability lost the best part of the £600

A lady of this town, says the Seneca Falls "Courier," had occasion to go to the room of her servant girl a few days since, while the latter was absent, and discovered there a bustle of an entirely new invention. It was a veritable pannier; and filled with useful articles, such as sugar, tea, coffee, etc. The inference is that the girl's sister was in the habit of wearing it away from the house occasionally.

"Suppose we pass a law,," said a severe father to his daughters, that no girl 18 years old, who can't cook a meal, shall get married till she learns how to do it?" "Why, then we'd all get married at 17," responded the girls in sweet chorus.

THE undersigned have much pleasure in announcing that they have secured the sole agency for the Province of the celebrated Centennial Prize Medal Organ, manufactured by W. Bell & Co., Guelph, Ontario. An extensive and varied assortment has just arrived, and intending purchasers are invited to call and examine.

M. W. WAITT & Co.

3mos. * Government Street.

DR. JAMES

Has removed to Broughton street opposite the City Chambers. Philip James, M. D., Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife when taken in time. **Rheumatism cured in one hour without pain.** He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine* with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits.

MRS. JAMES, Midwife of long experience and successful practice in this city, is open to engagement with ladies to attend them at their home, or they can be accommodated at her residence.

N. B.—Special attention given to all diseases of women and children.

Murder Will Out.

A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your Druggist .....and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it—Sample bottles 10 cents.

THE arrival of the Amelia Ross and Prince Rupert adds the largest stock of Pianos, Harmoniums, Organs and musical novelties to Messrs. Bagnall & Co.'s establishment ever imported. Amongst the celebrated makers on view are Alexander & Son's, Bord, Broadwood & Son-Boosey & Co., Collard & Collard, Christopher & Etenne, Debain, Ivory & Co., Peloubet, Peltan & Co., Thibouville and others. Instruments at all prices and on easy terms.—MESSRS. BAGNALL & Co., 19. Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Established 1863.

Pianos, Organs and Harmoniums tuned, repaired and regulated J. BAGNALL; 25 years experience. *dw

Peruvian Syrup.

Brooks, Me., Sept. 7, 1870.

Dear Sir—From early youth I was in feeble health, troubled with humor in my blood, weakness and debility, of the system generally; was unable to labor much, and only at some light business, and then only with great caution. Seven years ago, the past spring, I had a severe attack of Diptheria which left my limbs paralized and useless, so I was unable to walk or even sit up. Noticing the advertisement of PERUVIAN SYRUP, I concluded to give it a trial, and to my great joy soon found my health improving, I continued the use of the SYRUP until three bottles had been used, and was restored to complete health, and have remained so till this day. I attribute my present health entirely to the use of PERUVIAN SYRUP, and hold it in high estimation. I cannot speak too highly in its praise. I have in several cases recommended it in cases very similar to my own and with the same good results.

Yours truly. CHARLES E. PERCY.

JUST RECEIVED.—A very superior hand-shuttle sewing machine, the *Osborn B*, also the new *Osborn A*, are in advance of all competitors, having won for themselves unstinted praise and unparalelled success in the comparatively short time they have been before the public. The superiority of these machines over all others are being fully appreciated; a full set of attachments accompany each machine; also, instructions given in the use of them by a first class operator. These machines are thoroughly made in all their parts of the best material, and every machine warranted by the company and its agents. Call and examine whether you intend purchasing or not.—T. FLETCHER, Agent, Fort street, Victoria. Machines repaired.

NEW GOODS AT ALBION HOUSE.—A. B. Gray & Co. have received by this steamer nine cases of dry goods comprising: Jouvin Kid Gloves, Fancy Silk and Crape Ties, Black Silks, New Ribbons, Velvets, Back and Round Combs, New Dress Buttons, Toilet Sets, Brush and Comb Bags, Cloaking Cashmere, Ladies' Corsets, Children's Bibs, Lace Curtains and short Blinds, Dress Goods in great variety, &c., &c. Also, a full supply of staple Dry Goods.

Lately received, a fresh stock of the celebrated "Raymond Lockstitch Sewing Machines" with new special improvements; the best machine in the market.—Government Street, Aug. 16, 1877.

From S. Thatcher, M. D., of Hermon, N. Y.

"WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY gives universal satisfaction. It seems to cure a cough by loosening and cleansing the lungs, and allaying irritation, thus removing the cause, instead of drying up the cough and leaving the cause behind. I consider the BALSAM the best cough medicine with which I am acquainted." Sold by all druggists.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to and other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished tabie in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.—The highest cash price will be paid for Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's wearing apparel at Haggerty's Store on Dufferin street. Parties desirous of discontinuing housekeeping can meet a cash buyer for all household effects by applying at the above address.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province.

Notices.

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province, of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the Twenty-third day of August instant, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the Twenty-third day of August instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-fifth day of October next, you meet Us in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at our City of Victoria, and therein do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed. Witness the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this eleventh day of August in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-seven, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Registrar Supreme Court. au1

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbor, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my24

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIETOR of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.

SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.

Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

Notice to Claimants of Land.

New Westminster District.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of New Westminster have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Commissioner, New Westminster:—

Lots 391, 392, 393, 394, Group one (1).

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 8th, 1877. se9

NOTICE.

CARIBOO DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the tract of land situate on Pleasant Valley Creek, Cariboo District, and formerly held under lease granted by the Government of British Columbia to James T. Steele, is hereby reserved until further notice.

F. GEO VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 15th 1877 e16

COAST DISTRICT.

NAAS RIVER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Section No. 2, Block 1, Coast District, situate on the right bank of Naas River and about fourteen (14) miles from the mouth of the said river, has been surveyed in accordance with Clause 15, "Land Act, 1875," and the map thereof can be seen at the Land Office, Victoria.

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in the manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 11th Aug, 1877. au12

NOTICE.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Richfield, ...	Monday,	10th September
Quesnellemouth	Saturday,	15th "
Clinton	Monday,	24th "
Kamloops	Saturday,	29th "
Lytton	Friday,	5th October
Yale	Monday,	8th "
New Westminster	Wednesday,	10th "

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Dated 23rd July, 1877. jy29

Assessment Act, 1876.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Tax under the provisions of the "Assessment Act, 1876," is past due, and all parties whose taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's Office, Columbia street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.

J. C. HUGHES,
my24tjel Collector.

Notices.

Assessment Act, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tax under the provisions of the Assessment Act, 1876, is past due, and all parties whose Taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's office Government street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.

my8 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

ASSAYING.

William J. Sutton,

(Lately of the School of Mines, New York,)

HAS FITTED UP AN ASSAY FURNACE along with Chemicals and Blow pipe Apparatus, and is prepared to assay gold and silver ores, or test for the common metals. Orders by express or post attended to. Results communicated with the utmost expedition.

Office: - Langley Street. se5

MILITARY COLLEGE, KINGSTON

SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS FOR CANdidates desiring to be admitted as cadets to the Military College will be held at the Head Quarters of Military Districts in which such candidates reside, on the 3rd July and 18th December next, (1877.)

All necessary information may be obtained upon application to the Adjutant General at Ottawa, or to the Deputy Adjutants General of Military Districts. Applications for admission must be sent to the Adjutant General not less than one month before date of examination.

By Order,
W. POWELL, Colonel.
Adjutant-General.

HEAD QUARTERS, Ottawa, 11th April, 1877 my1 1dw6m

CASSIAR EXPRESS

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar by every steamer for Fort Wrangel. Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded. Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.

J. JOHNSTON,
fe25 Agent for the BRITISH COLONIST.

NOTICE—Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP BUSINESS HERETofore carried on between the undersigned as Watchmakers and Jewellers, in the city of Victoria, is dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by *Hy.* Rudolph, who will settle all partnership accounts.

J. L. JUNGERMANN,
Witness—W. Pollard. HY. RUDOLPH.
Dated 8th Sept., 1877. se11

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of FREDERICK RICHARDSON, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 25th November, 1877, to HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 25th Aug., 1877. au26dw

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of JAMES SALISBURY, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 10th day of November, 1877, to HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 10th Aug., 1877. au26dw

In the Matter of Andrew Gratton, Deceased, Intestate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL PERsons indebted or having property belonging to the estate are required to pay or deliver the same respectively to Messrs. Drake & Jackson; and all persons having claims against the Estate are required to present same on or before the 26th November prox.

Dated at Cassiar, the 31st day of August, A.D 1877.
CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Solicitor for Henry Thibert, Administrator.
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(Copy.)

AT a meeting of the Pilotage Authority for the Pilotage District of British Columbia, held at Victoria on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1877, the following amendments to the By-laws respecting Pilotage for the said District approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 19th February, 1877, were adopted:

I. That the following two clauses be added to By-Law No. 11.

"That the limits for speaking vessels bound into Victoria and Esquimalt Harbors, shall be at or outside a line drawn from Clover Point (skirting Brotchy Ledge Buoy) to a point in Royal Bay, bearing W. by S. ½ S. and E. by N. ½ N."

"That the limits for speaking vessels bound into Nanaimo harbour and Departure Bay, through Fairway Channel, shall be at or outside a line drawn from Rocky Point to the north end of Lighthouse Island bearing W. by N. ½ N. and through Middle Channel at or outside a line from the North end of Lighthouse Island to Horsewell Bluff bearing S. E. by E. ½ E. and a line drawn from Sharpe Point N. E. by E. ½ E. (magnetic) to Gabriola Island."

II. That the following be substituted for Clause A of By-Law No. 12:—

(A) "For vessels entering the Pilotage District of British Columbia through Fuca Straits, and coming to an anchor in Royal Roads, the pilotage shall be free. But when the services of a Pilot are required and employed, the rate of Pilotage shall not exceed $3 00 per foot according to the following graduated scale:—

	per foot.
Inside or N. of Race Rocks to Royal Bay	75 cts.
From Beechy Head to Royal Bay	$1 00
" Cullam Bay do	$2 00
" Cape Flattery do	$3 00

III. That the following be added to Clause C of By-Law No. 12:—

"In addition to the ordinary dues and irrespective of the provisions of Clause E."

IV. That the following be substituted for Clause 8 of By-Law No. 28:—

"For intoxication whether the same shall occur while in charge of a vessel, when required for duty or for habitual drunkenness."

V. That the following, as Clause F, be added to By-Law No. 12:—

"That steamers plying regularly, once a month or oftener, between the various ports of the United States and those of British Columbia, be included in Clause E, of section 12 of the new By-Laws, and that the same be appended to that section as soon as ratified at Ottawa, i.e. the maximum pilotage for those steamers to be $6 per foot on the inward and $6 per foot on the outward Draft, irrespective of their calling at Puget Sound on their regular trips or round voyages, but subject nevertheless to the latter part of Clause C."

(Signed,) W. R. CLARKE,
" JOHN DEVEREUX,
" COOTE M. CHAMBERS,
Commissioners.
EDGAR CROW BAKER,
Secretary.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE,

Ottawa, 9th July, 1877.

I hereby certify that the foregoing amendments to By-Laws have been approved by His Honor the Deputy of the Governor General in Council, on the sixth day of July, 1877.

J. O. COTE,
jy31 Asst. Clerk P. C.

Ships and Steamers.

Ship "Cape Clear," from San Francisco.

NEITHER CAPT. TUPMAN NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.
Wharf st., 17th Sept., 1877. se18

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPT. ANGEL NOR THE UNDERsigned, will be responsible for any debts incurred by the crew of the barque Halton Castle, from Liverpool. WELCH, RITHET & Co.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 15th. se16

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

THE FAST SAILING BRIG

DEUX AMIS,
BOUGET, Master,

Will leave San Francisco for Victoria direct on or about the 25th inst, carrying Freight at Reduced Rates. For further particulars apply to the undersigned or to Messrs. Cills & Co., 35, California street, San Francisco. S. J. PITTS, Agent.
Sept. 8th. se9

Bark Ocean Gem, from Honolulu.

NEITHER CAPT. C. HOFFMAN NOR THE owner will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel
au28 CAPT. C HOFFMAN.

ALLAN LINE
ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS,

From Quebec to Liverpool, Glasgow and Londonderry, Sailing Every Saturday.

Cabin, $70; Steerage, $25; R turn Tickets at Reduced Rates.

PERSONS WISHING TO SEND FOR THEIR friends from England, Ireland or Scotland can purchase Tickets good for one year at Lowest Rates.

GARESCHE, GREEN & CO.,
Agents, Victoria.
jy5 Office, Wells, Fargo & Co

NOTICE.

McALLISTER BROS.

BEG TO INFORM OWNERS & Masters of Ships that the

POWERFUL STEAM-TUG

"Alexander"

Will be ready on or about the 15th May To Tow Ships entering the Straits of Juan de Fuca, to and from any Port in British Columbia.

Ship masters will find it to their advantage to secure this Boat, as she is one of the most powerful vessels of the kind afloat, as well as having Double Disconnecting Engines, which is a guarantee of safety to ships in tow of her.

For terms apply on board at DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO'S Wharf.
Victoria, May 9th. my10

For Yale and Way Ports.

THE FAST AND FAVORITE steamer

ROYAL CITY,
CAPT. JOHN IRVING,

Carrying H. M. Mail & Barnard's Express,

Leaves New Westminster for Yale and Way Ports on Wednesday and Saturday, and returns from Yale to New Westminster on Monday and Friday.

For Freight or Passage enquire on board. my30

FOR CASSIAR & SITKA MINES

Carrying the Northern Mails.

THE WELL-KNOWN FAST AND favorite steamship

CALIFORNIA.
CAPTAIN THORN,

Connecting at Wrangel with the Stickeen River Steamers Beaver and Gertrude for Cassiar.

Having Superior Accommodations for Passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about

Thursday, October 11th.

For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent,
je12 Office at P. McQuade & Son's.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Barque "Halton Castle," Capt. T. E. Angel, from Liverpool.

THIS VESSEL WILL DISCHARGE cargo at the Hudson Bay Company's wharf on and after Monday the 17th inst.

Consignees are requested to present Bills of Lading to the undersigned by whom, on payment of freight, delivery orders will be issued.

Goods remaining on the wharf after five o'clock p. m. each day will be at risk of consignees thereof, respectively.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of "Halton Castle."
Victoria, B.C., 13th Sept., 1877. se14

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,

Commission Merchants,

OFFER FOR SALE

IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

ALE—Bass & Co's, bottled by the London and Burton Bottled Beer Company, in prime order.
CHAMPAGNE—Piper-Heidsick, in pints & quarts.
BURGUNDY—Guidard-Potheret, extra fine.
PORT—In hogsheads, pipes, quarters and octaves.
SHERRY—Duff-Gordon, in quarter casks.
CLARET—St Julien.
BRANDY—Hennessy and Martell, in case & bulk.
WHISKEY—Jesse Moore & Co's Kentucky.
GIN—Red Case.
CIGARS—A large assortment of Havana

Commercial Row, Wharf Street.

Sept. 3rd, 1877. se4

PETER OASTERHOUT,

DEALER IN

Hardware, Crockery, Glass & Tinware,

Lamps, Cooking Utensils, Tools Clocks, Furniture, Sashes and Shingles,

Highest Market Rates given for Second-hand Furniture.

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Surgical & Mechanical

DENTIST,

LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO.

OFFICE:
Right Hand side of Staircase,
SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY
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Highest Cash Price

PAID FOR

Furs and Deer Skins.

THE BUSINESS OF L. & J. BOSCOWITZ will be continued as heretofore at the present premises, Wharf street. se20

Miscellaneous.

TO EAST COAST PRODUCERS.

W. R. Clarke & Co.

AUCTIONEERS,

HAVING A FIREPROOF WAREHOUSE and superior facilities for Storing and Selling Goods, respectfully solicit consignments of

Wheat, Oats, Hay, Potatoes, Stock (Dead or Alive), Furs, Skins, Oils, &c.,

Which they will dispose of at FIVE PER CENT. COMMISSION.

Rapid Sales and Quick Returns. se11dw

LIST OF PROPERTY

On which Taxes have been due and unpaid for Three Years and upwards, and which will be Sold on the Fifth day of December, 1877, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, at 12 noon, in pursuance of the "Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale Bylaw, 1877," unless in the meantime the Arrears of Taxes and Costs due in respect of each lot in the Schedule hereunder written be paid.

Lot.	Block.	Amount of Taxes.	Amount of Interest	Total.	Costs.
6	12	$41 51	$1 06	$53 13	$4 15
½43	14	22 37	7 44	29 81	3 00
½92	23	35 00	8 40	43 40	3 70
87	26	34 56	12 12	46 68	3 82
106	12	60 75	15 45	76 20	5 30
Part 121	13	148 50	26 61	175 11	10 25
143	V	240 00	40 32	280 32	16 00
Part 178-9	1	49 00	18 24	67 24	4 86
244	27	57 50	16 80	74 30	5 25
245	27	28 00	8 40	36 40	3 32
309	11	21 00	4 80	25 80	2 80
379	4	30 00	9 00	9 50	3 10
½380		2 00	6 00	35 00	3 25
402	W	29 00	8 74	37 74	2 38
Part 416 17	13	110 86	33 00	143 86	8 70
535	T	290 00	75 60	365 60	19 80
602-3	M	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
618-19	Subdv. 3 M	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
	Subdv. 4 M	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
644	K	21 35	7 00	28 35	2 92
658	U	30 00	75	30 75	3 50
659	U	64 00	21 00	85 00	5 75
684	21	62 00	15 60	78 10	5 40
684	S	21 25	5 65	26 90	2 85
710	R	22 5	7 12	29 64	3 00
711	R	134 02	41 54	175 56	10 30
717	Q	21 58	7 50	29 08	2 95
813	5	21 50	6 84	28 34	2 91
829	5	20 75	8 75	29 50	3 00
830	5	41 50	17 46	58 96	4 44
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867	Y	34 48	13 52	48 00	3 90
876	J	19 00	6 43	25 43	2 78
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941	42	22 19	10 07	32 26	3 11
942	42	19 21	7 38	26 59	2 88
975	6	28 68	8 21	36 89	3 35
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5 Acre Lots					
No. III	Part Subdv. 5	31 76	8 74	40 50	3 30
" IV	Subdv. 19	29 31	8 89	38 20	3 42
" V	Part Subdv. 2	45 17	11 80	56 97	4 34
" VI	Subdv. 4&5	62 29	25 68	87 97	5 09
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" X	4	45 00	10 44	55 44	4 27
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No. XIII	Subdv.	29 18	10 60	39 78	3 59
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Fairfield.					
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THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.
5th September, 1877. se5

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM the public that the fire on Sunday morning will not interrupt his business, and that he will be found at his post as usual.

The usual Complete Stock will be found on hand comprising:

Double and Single Barreled Breech Loaders,

MUZZLE LOADERS, PISTOLS,

Opera Glasses, Pocket Compasses, Pocket & Sporting Cutlery, &c.

Fishing Tackle in Great Variety.

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THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID by the undersigned for Hides in good order:

Wet Salted Hides 7½ cts. per lb.
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Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 30TH, 1877.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

NOTICE.

For the accommodation of Subscribers and others, this office will be open from 10 o'clock to a quarter to 11 o'clock a. m. on Sunday.

THE FISHERIES.

A few weeks ago, in the course of an article on the duties of the Fisheries Commission, then sitting at Halifax, we asked the British Columbia fisheries? and the if the Commission would tacitly deal with point we raised was this: British Columbia is part of Canada. The Commission had met to consider the amount of compensation that should be paid Canada by the United States for the admission of American fishermen to the same rights and privileges on *Canadian* fishing grounds as British subjects. We contended, therefore, that should those fishing rights and privileges be extended to Americans under the general term of *Canadian*, without the localities to which they are to be confined being specified, that there was a danger that British Columbia fisheries might be included in the arrangement, and that Americans would have the same right to work our inshore fisheries that they now have to work the inshore fisheries of the Maritime Provinces. British Columbians are well aware—too well aware—that such a concession would be a monstrous injustice, because this Province is not admitted to the privileges under the Washington Treaty that are enjoyed by the Eastern Provinces. We cannot send a fish or a gallon of fish-oil into a United States port without paying a duty thereon which is practically prohibitive. And yet it is quite possible that under the Washington Treaty Americans have as much right to fish in these waters as British subjects have, and that if fish and oils be secured by American vessels that they will be allowed to enter American ports free of customs duty, while the same treaty would practically prohibit the entry of the same produce if taken by British vessels. It was to this point we directed the attention of the Commission. There have been so many blunders in diplomacy through which the interests of British Columbia have been sacrificed that we deemed the occasion a fitting one to put the British members of the Commission on their guard against the wiles of Uncle Samuel's representatives. The Toronto *Globe*, whilst admitting the justice of Columbia's claim to be admitted to the benefits of the Washinton Treaty, assumes that we supposed one of the chief duties of the Commission was to deal with the fisheries of this Province; but our object was to call attention to the fact that our fisheries were in danger of being sacrificed under the general title of Canadian fisheries without reciprocal privileges being accorded us; and we are not sure that such not the effect of the recent negotiations.

DYKING THE FRASER.

Mr. Vernon and Mr. Derby have gone to Sumas to inspect the lands proposed to be redeemed. The *Herald*, whilst warmly approving of the scheme, true to its instincts finds fault with the Chief Commissioner for having anything to do with it. Had the Chief neglected to go up the *Herald* would have reproached him with indifference and carelessness—with being blind to the prosperity and advancement of the country—with being too indolent to trouble himself about dyking mudflats—with being interested in discouraging a new field for the production of wheat and live stock. Now, Mr. Vernon had rather be abused for doing his duty than praised for not doing it. Therefore, he goes to Sumas. The *Herald's* attitude recalls the story of the starving tramp who declined to partake of a free-lunch set out for his delecation because napkins were not provided for his dainty use. The *Herald* declines to have the Fraser dyked because the Chief Commissioner is likely to add to his popularity on the Mainland through the success of the scheme. That is biting one's nose off to spite one's face, with a vengeance.

Put It in the Bank.

"A penny saved, a penny gained,"—
Be prudent and discerning;
No matter what your wants may be,
Don't spend all you are earning.

Yes, lad! we know the will is strong,
Temptations come in plenty,
Let fifteen dollars meet your needs,
If you are earning twenty.

Pay as you buy; don't run in debt—
Great comfort is in knowing
That you are free from suits and duns,
That you are no man owing.

So many things you'd like to have!
Next month your pay increases.
Look out, my lad! What will you do
If then your income ceases?

Be generous, but be always just:—
This life that we are living,
Would lose much pleasure with the zest
We feel in joy of giving.

How can you save, you'd like to know?
Tell, and you'll gladly hear it—
Your pocket is a dangerous place,
Your hand is always near it.

Put in the bank all that you save,
And then you will have reason
To thank us, for our good advice,
When comes your cloudy season.

You may have sunshine all your life;
We hope you'll have no other!
Then, with your savings in the bank,
Just lift some fallen brother.

REMOVAL.—Dr. Cool, Dentist, has removed his office to Fort street, opposite the Mechanics Literary Institute Building. ***

DR. J. CALDER, Dentist, has returned from a professional tour on the Mainland and is now ready to wait on those who may require his services. Office on Fort street. ***

DR. COOL has removed to Fort street, opposite the Mechanics Literary Institute Building. ***

CUSTOM HOUSE BLANKS in any quantity for sale at THE COLONIST OFFICE.

New Advertisements

THE REV. A. MEYERS

WILL HOLD A SPECIAL SERVICE AT 10 o'clock THIS MORNING at the Synagogue, Pandora street. se30

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SHUT UP A PIG that for some time has been trespassing upon his premises, and will sell it to recover expenses unless the owner claims and takes it away within 10 days from date, Sept. 29th.
se30 C. T. DUPONT, Stadacona.

Instruction in Oil and Water Color Painting and in Drawing.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of JOHN HIGGINS, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS who are indebted to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 15th December, 1877, to
HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 15th September, 1877. se30

AUCTION SALE

The Property lately owned by Samuel Harris, in Harrisville, Cowichan, and known as the

JOHN BULL INN,

Which is now the District Postoffice and is doing a good business. It is situated close to the Steamboat Landing and has every accommodation for the traveling public, together with Outhouses, Stables, etc., etc.

Also—EIGHT TOWN LOTS immediately Adjoining.

The whole of this Desirable Property will be sold by Public Auction on

Tuesday, 9th October,

Unless previously disposed of at Private Sale.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
se30 Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.

Will sell at their salesroom, Yates st., on

Wednesday, October 3d,

AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.

CLOTHING, UNDERCLOTHING, AND FURNITURE.

—ALSO—

A lot of BACON and Miscellaneous Goods.

—ALSO—

A PIANO and PIANO STOOL.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
se30 Auctioneers.

Victoria District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for South Saanich Cross Road," will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on Friday, the 12th October next, for the construction of a Sleigh Road from Stelly's Farm to Brown's Ditch, South Saanich.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a Bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $100 for the faithful completion of the work.

Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each membe of the same.

No Tender will be accepted, unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Deptm't,
Victoria, 29th Sept., 1877. se30

Victoria Dristrict.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Sooke Trail," will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on Tuesday, October the 16th next, for the construction of a Trail from Simpson Point, Sooke Harbor, to Vine's, in Metchosin District.

Plans and Specifications can be seen and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $200 for the faithful completion of the work.

Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.

No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.

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F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 29th, 1877. se30

Townsite of Hastings.

NOTICE IN HEREBY GIVEN, that the following lots in the Townsite of Hastings are reserved for Government purposes, viz:—

Lots—21, 22, 30, 31, 32, 37, 38, 39, 51, 52, 87, 89, 92, 96, 100, 104, 108, 111, 118, 124, 637, 638, 639, 251, 237, 130, 134, 141, 145, 218, 160, 202, 181, 81, 84, 72, 444, 445, 487, 467, 465, 512 and Suburban lots 8 and 12.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 29th Sept., 1877. se30

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE;
18th September, 1877.

THE Regulations for the open Competitive Examination for the Civil Service of India, in 1878, can be seen on application at this office.
T. ELWYN,
se30 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

New Advertisements.

South Saanich District.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Public Highway, sixty-six feet (66) in width, is hereby established in South Saanich District, commencing at a point where the West Saanich Road crosses the section line between sections 13 and 14; thence East along said section line to the line between Ranges one (1) and two (2) East, and 33 feet on each side of said section line.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 29th, 1877. se30

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SOUTH DIVISION OF SALT SPRING ISLAND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with clause 23 "Land Act, 1875," that all the surveyed, unreserved vacant Crown Land situate within the boundaries of the South Division of Salt Spring Island, as defined on the official map in the Land Office, Victoria, with the exception of the undermentioned sub divisions, will be open for preemption and purchase at 10 o'clock a.m. on Saturday, the 6th October, 1877, at the office of John Morley, Esq., J.P., Maple Bay:—

N. W. ¼	Section	32.
N. E. ¼	"	33.
S. W. ¼	"	38.
	"	37.
E. ½	"	51.
W. ½	"	52.
N. W. ¼	"	55.
S. ½	"	55.
	"	69.
N. ½	"	70.
S. W. ¼	"	78.
N. ½	"	78.
S. ½	"	79.
S. ½	"	86.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 29th, 1877. se30

SALE BY AUCTION OF LOTS.

IN THE

TOWN OF HASTINGS,

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Mr. James Morrison will sell by public auction at the Land Office, New Westminster, by order of the Provincial Government, on Wednesday, the 28th November, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, the undermentioned lots in the Town of Hastings, Burrard Inlet:—

Lots—10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 45, 47, 48, 49, 50, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 82, 83, 86, 88, 90, 91, 93, 94, 95, 97, 98, 99, 101, 102, 103, 105, 106, 107, 109, 110, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 131, 132, 133, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 142, 143, 144, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 288, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245.

Maps may be seen at the office of the Government Agent, New Westminster, and at the Land Office, Victoria.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 29th, 1877. se30

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PAVILION SKATING RINK.

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On Monday and Saturday Evenings, from 8 to 10 o'clock,

For Skating. Dancing afterwards.

PROF. HAYNES' FULL QUADRILLE BAND will be in attendance.

On Saturday Afternoons from 2 till 4, for the young folks.

On Wednesday Afternoons from 3 till 5, Ladies and Children may receive instruction in Skating. Admission 25 cents each. No spectators nor gentlemen admitted on this afternoon.

ADMISSION for Gentlemen 25 cents; Ladies Free. Use of Skates for Ladies and Gentlemen 25 cts. each. Admission to the Gallery, 50 cents. se27

North and South Saanich Agricultural Society.

A BALL

WILL BE HELD ON THE NIGHT OF the Exhibition.

Tickets, including Supper, admitting Gentleman and Ladies, $2.

Music by Professor Haynes.

se25 ALEX. ANDERSON, Jr., Hon. Secty.

Sandwich Islands RICE AND MOLASSES,

EX BARK OCEAN GEM, FOR SALE BY
WELCH RITHET & CO.,
au21 Wharf Street.

T. A. Williamson

HAVING BOUGHT OUT CAPT. DAN. Morrison's Saloon on

Government St., opp. Colonist Office,

Will be glad to see his numerous friends and acquaintances on and after this date.

☞ GO AND SEE HIM. ☜

Victoria, September 24th. se25

REMOVAL.

DR. DAVIE

HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO OPposite the back of Theatre Royal. ap20

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, and 5 in the evening. mh4

New Advertisements.

Theatre Royal.

COMMENCING THURSDAY, SEPT. 27.

Wm. Emerson - - - - - - - Proprietor.
Carl Steele - - - - - - Musical Director.
Wash Norton - - - - - - - Manager.

EMERSON MINSTRELS

WILL GIVE

THEIR LAST PERFORMANCE

To-Morrow Night, Oct. 1st.,

With a Change of Programme.

ADMISSION—Dress Circle and Parquette, $1; Pit, 50 cents. Reserved seats to be obtained at Redfern's Jewelery Store. Carriages ordered at 10:30. se25

SUGAR.

NOS. 1, 2 and 3, Just Received by Stmr Dakota. For sale by
se23 HENRY RHODES & CO.

TEAS.

FINE CONGOU, Powchong and Oolong. Extra qualities Japan Teas.
For sale by
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Guinness Dublin Stout.

PIG BRAND—A Fresh Invoice of this favorite Stout now landing Ex Halton Castle, in fine order. For sale by
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White Lead.

AN INVOICE of Brown & Son's celebrated Leads—the best ever imported into this market—now landing from "Halton Castle," Nos. 1 & 2.

Also—Boiled Oil.

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WINDOW GLASS.

ALL SIZES—16 oz., 21 oz. and 26 oz.
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PICKLES.

LEWIS & Co., of Worcester, celebrated Pickles. These are packed exclusively in Hill, Evans & Co's Vinegar, and are a very superior article.
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Washing Soda

IN Small Barrels.
WASHING BLUE in ½-pounds and pounds.
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Dublin Stout.

BLood, Wolf & Co.'s Brand, in pints and quarts, in Stone or Glass Bottles.
For sale in Bond or Duty Paid.
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Bottled Ales.

BASS' and Blood, Wolf & Co's, in pints and quarts.
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SOAPS.

English Brown Soaps in 28lb. & 56lb. bxs. English MOTTLED Soap in 28lb. and 56lb. bxs. Genuine CASTILE Soap in 36lb. boxes.
For Sale by
se23 HENRY RHODES & CO.

OILMEN'S STORES

FRENCH & ENGLISH.

Bottled Vinegar, Concentrated Vinegar, Curry Powder, Worcester Sauce, Chutney Sauce, Pickles in pts. & qts., Imperial Pickles, Olive Oil, English Candles in tins, ½-lb. and 1-lb. bottles, **French Peas in tins, French Beans in tins, French Mushrooms in tins, Olives stuffed with Anchoviest French Olives plain, French Plums in tins, French Almonds in sacks,** Oatmeal, Pearl Barley, Sago and Arrowroot in tins.
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Printing Paper.

Superior Quality Scotch Paper, assorted sizes and weights, now landing Ex "Halton Castle."
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Dundee Sacks.

Large Sizes and Stout, for Grain or Potatoes.
se23 HLNRY RHODES & CO.

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OFFER FOR SALE

In Bond or Duty Paid.

BRANDY—Hennessy and Martell's in quarter casks and cases.
RUM—In hogsheads and quarter casks.
GIN—In Red and Green Cases.
CLARETS—Fronsac in hogsheads and cases; St. Jullien, Moulis, Duplessis Moulis, St. Estephe, Chateau Mayaux in cases.
SAUTERNES—Haut Sauterne, Chateau Paillet, Graves, in cases.
BURGUNDY, RED—Nuits and Chambertin, in cases.
BURGUNDY, WHITE—Chablis and Hermitage, in cases.
CHAMPAGNE—Napoleon Cabinet, Rainart Pere et Fils.
CURACOA, Maraschino, Pausse Cafe, Vermouth, Absinthe, Cassis, Kirschwasser, Chartreuse, Boker's Bitters, Hostetter's Bitters.

WHARF ST., Victoria, Sept. 22, 1877. se23

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts.

In the Matter of LEON ECKSTIEN, of Nanaimo, an Insolvent.

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned are invited up to Monday the 15th October, for the following portions of the estate of the above insolvent:

For the stock of dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, groceries, hardware and fancy goods "en bloc" or in separate departments; also, for the store, fixtures and lease of store at Nanaimo, hitherto occupied by the Insolvent.

The Stock is well-selected for a general store and in good order, and the stand is one of the best in Nanaimo for continuance of business and rental of the store low. The Stock to be tendered for at so much per cent, on schedule prices.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Stock list may be seen and any information desired be obtained on application to the undersigned.

C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, Sept. 25th, 1877. se26

SUGAR.

500 MATS STRICTLY No. 1 CHINA SUGAR.
For Sale by
J. RUEFF & CO.,
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Wanted.

Plain Cook Wanted.

A MIDDLE-AGED OR ELDERLY WOman, without incumbrance, can find employment as cook in Cache Creek Boarding School. Wages $40 per month.

Applications to be sent to the Education Office, Victoria, where further particulars may be ascertained.
se20 1w (Mainland Guardian copy.)

ORGANIST

REQUIRED AT THE REFORMED EPISCOPAL Church. Application by letter with terms to be addressed to the CHURCHWARDENS, P. O. Box 170.
Victoria, Sept. 15th. se16

Wanted

BY A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN, LATELY arrived from San Francisco, a situation to Cook and do Washing and Ironing. Apply on Chatham street, opposite Captain Clarke's. se7

MEDICAL OFFICER WANTED.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE RESIGNAtion of Dr. McInnes, the Vancouver Coal Company require a Medical Officer.

Applications for the position may be made or sent on or before the 30th inst., to the Company's office at Nanaimo, B.C., where particulars can be obtained.
Nanaimo, B.C., 1st Sept., 1877. se6

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE WOMAN TO DO LIGHT housework in the country. Situation easy and permanent. Apply by letter, stating age and references, to "A. B.," offic of this paper. se2 1m

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE MIDDLE AGED WOman wishes a situation as Sick Nurse. Apply at
au30 THE COLONIST OFFICE.

Wanted.

BY A YOUNG MAN RECENTLY ARRIVED from England, employment as farm manager, or working foreman. Has had good experience in all branches connected with farming and stockraising. Address "B.A.," office of this paper. se8dw2w

For Sale—To Let.

FOR SALE.

Improved Live Stock.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR Sale at reasonable prices the thoroughbred Shorthorn Bull "Central Pacific," of Booth Stock, sired by "Bismarck," an English Bull of note. Dam, "Acacia," imported in calf from England, by the well-known Canadian breeder and importer M. H. Cochran, of Compton, Quebec. "Central's" Stock can be seen here and at Capt. Waller's, Yates street, Victoria.

Grade Shorthorn Cows in calf by "Central Pacific."
Three well-grown Bull Calves.
Two Grey Geldings, good saddle horses and accustomed to single and double harness, one has often been used as a lady's horse.
One handsome Bay Gelding, good in waggon or plough.
Four Grade Leicester Rams.
Three do do (yearlings).
One Grade Southdown Ram.
One full-grown Thoroughbred Berkshire Boar (pedigreed).
Several young thoroughbred and grade Berkshire Boars; some breeding Sows, grade Berkshire.

W. F. TOLMIE.
Cloverdale, V.D., Saanich Road.,
Sept. 24th, 1877. se25

For Rent or For Sale.

THE HANDSOME HOUSE & GROUNDS, the property of Joseph Boscowitz, Esq., situated on Pandora street. Apply to
se21 FRANK CAMPBELL.

TO BE LET.

THAT COMMODIOUS DWELLING-HOUSE on Shoal Bay, Victoria District, belonging to the late Captain McNeill, and lately in the possession of Capt. Cooper, will be let to an eligible tenant at a nominal rent. The house has every convenience, a large orchard and stable, and is well watered.

For particulars apply to
H. F. HEISTERMAN,
se20 Land Agent, Langley street.

FOR SALE.

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NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNDERsigned must be presented before the 1st October next, and all persons indebted to him are requested to make immediate payment.

CHARLES SCHAFFER.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 11th. se12

Fire Department.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Election or Chief and Assistant Engineers of the Victoria Fire Department will take place on MONDAY, October 1st, 1877, at the house of Deluge Engine Co. No. 1, Yates street, Victoria.

The Ballot Papers will be furnished by the Secretary, and all members whose names appear on the Fifty-day and Ten-day Rolls will be entitled to vote.

The Poll will open at 10 a.m. and close at 4 p.m.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
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OF THE

VICTORIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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OF THE

VICTORIA Fire Department,

WM. McNIFFE.

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IS A

CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION

FOR

Assistant Engineer

Of the Victoria Fire Department.

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TO THE MEMBERS OF THE VICTORIA Fire Department.

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— IS THE —

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TO COME OFF DECEMBER 2nd, AT THE Pavilion Skating Rink.

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Lowest Throw takes the Diamond Slide, C t 00.

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EVERY ARTICLE PUT UP AT COST.

A Committee will be appointed on the night of the Raffle by parties concerned. Those who are not satisfied will receive their money back.

No Tickets will be considered good unless paid for previous he Raffle. Persons abroad have the same chance with those present. Parties Pur chase Tickets through Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.

Under no circumstances will any person be bored to purchase Tickets.

Returns must be made on the 25th November, 1877

The Prizes can b seen in Mr. Rudolph's Jewelery Store.

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se13 2p J. LOVETT.

APOLOGY.

MR. J. T. HOWARD, Esquimalt.

HAVING WRONGFULLY PUBLISHED a statement reflecting on your character, and one likely to be injurious to your business, I hereby publicly apologise for so doing, and express my deep regret at having been a party to any such an attempt to injure your business or reputation.

WM. SELLECK.
Globe Inn, Esquimalt,
Sept. 18, 1877. se19 2m

New Custom House Blanks

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Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 30TH, 1877.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept. 28—Str Alexander, Burrard Inlet
Str Constitution, rt Townsend
Sept. 29—Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
Sch Black Diamond, Nanaimo
Sch Isabella, Nanaimo
Sch Industry, Nanaimo
Str Emma, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Sept. 28—Str Alexander, Burrard Inlet
Sch Experiment, Nanaimo
Str Constitution, San Francisco
Sept. 29—Sch Industry, Nanaimo

DEATHS.

Suddenly, at Moodyville, British Columbia, at noon on Thursday, September 27th, Chester A., son of A. M. Smith, aged 7 years and 6 months.

Cariboo Grand Jury Report.

To Sir M. B. Begbie, Knt., Chief Justice of British Columbia:—The Grand Jury empanneled at Richfield, 10th Sept., respectfully report,

That they regret that reasons of state should have prevented the holding of an earlier Court of Assize this year, five men, two of whom have now been acquitted, having been incarcerated at the expense of the Province for over seven months waiting trial.

They beg to call attention to what has been referred to again and again by previous Grand Juries, namely, the disgraceful state of the Court House, Record Office and Jail at Richfield. While handsome and commodious public buildings have been erected in other less important localities, Cariboo is still forced to put up with the old mouldering log houses built in 1861. The Court House is hardly fit for a decent stable, and contains neither furniture nor accommodations for judges or spectators, the jurors, both Grand and Petty, being obliged to resort for deliberation to a room in a hotel, separated merely by a thin partition from the public bar-room, where conversation, unless carried on in the lowest tones, can be easily overheard. The Record Office contains no provision for the safety of the numerous books of record which have accumulated during sixteen years, containing the particulars of all the mining titles, chattel and other mortgages and transfers, &c., recorded during that period. These books might be destroyed by fire at any time, or abstracted with ease by malicious parties, causing irreparable injury and confusion. The Jail on close inspection has been found to be utterly unsuitable for the safe detention of prisoners, being rotten, and from its limited accommodation and want of proper ventilation calculated to produce disease. There is no accommodation for the jailer, nor is there any enclosed yard for the ordinary exercise of prisoners, considered necessary elsewhere, while prisoners can hold communication with friends outside, unless constantly locked in their cells, as it is necessary to open the window to secure some little fresh air. It has been found necessary to keep irons on the prisoners who have been waiting trial for over seven months to secure their safety.

They beg also to represent that unless some further work of construction be done on the Bulkhead above Barkerville before next spring great damage must inevitably ensue to the town during high water.

They have much pleasure in reporting that on inspecting the Royal Hospital they found that indispensable institution in excellent condition and well managed. Great improvements have been recently made to the building, for defraying the expense of which a liberal subscription was raised in this vicinity.

J. SPENCER THOMPSON,
RICHFIELD, Sept. 13. Foreman.

Mainland Assize Business.

The following prisoners have been brought down to New Westminster for confinement:

Frederick Harrison convicted of having robbed the mail-bag at the 150-mile house, was tried at Clinton and sentenced to 5 years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

Three Chinamen, convicted of having robbed Mr. Mason's safe at Barkerville were sentenced to 3 years' imprisonment. Two of them were also convicted of perjury and sentenced to a second term of 3 years.

One Manson, charged with having urged some Indians in the Chilicoaten district to steal cattle, has been sent to New Westminster for safe keeping. The Indians charged with stealing the cattle in the said district escaped from Clinton by unfastening the lock of the door of the house in which they were imprisoned, taking with them horses from an Indian camp. The Police followed the fugitives 30 miles towards the Chilicoatin district; but were unable to retake them.

City Police Court.

(Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.)

G. C. Booth, charged with being a straggler from H. M. S. Shah, was ordered to be handed over to the naval authorities.

PERSONAL.—Amongst the passengers by the Constitution to-morrow will be James Fleming, Esq., late of Cowichan. Mr. Fleming has been a resident of the Province since 1862, and was one of the first—if not the first—settlers in Cowichan District, where he took up a farm. He has been a prominent and influential man in his district, and has recently sold his farm for the purpose of going to Manitoba, where men of his energy and ability are always doubly welcome. His many friends will wish him a pleasant journey and a speedy return to the Province.

THE FIREMEN'S ELECTION will take place to-morrow. A Chief and Assistant Engineers have to be elected. For Chief Mr. Wriglesworth, the present holder of the office, and Mr. F. Saunders are candidates. For Assistant Engineer there are three candidates—Mr. Stephens, present Assistant, Mr. Charles Phillips and Mr. McNiffe. The voting will take place at the new Deluge Engine House on Yates street. The votes will be counted by the Board of Delegates, and the result made known about 6 p.m.

WIMBLEDON.—The competition for a place in the Wimbledon team of 1878 has been postponed till next Friday and Saturday on account of the bad weather yesterday and the day before.

THE Richings-Bernard Opera Company will open at Portland on the 8th October.

Cariboo News.

The Black Jack Hydraulic Co. of four inerests are hard at work, having raised their flume some eight feet. This company is working round the bluff of rocks which formed the canon. They have already taken out $16,000 this season. The claim is real estated. On Conklin Gulch the Ontario, Stewart and Gulch Co's. are at work. On Mosquito, several hydraulic companies are at work doing well. On Lowhee the Victoria Co. and Black Bull—the latter a recent purchase at $4,500; on Cunningham Creek the Sharp or Burns, and the Victoria, besides several Chinese Companies, are busily at work. On Lightning the Ross, Spruce, Van Winkle, Point, Victoria and Costello are working. On Stout's Gulch above Barkerville the hydraulic claim of Mr. Wintrip is paying remarkably well, and promises to be one of the most important hydraulic claims in Cariboo. A quartz vein crosses the claim and some rich specimens of goldbearing quartz have been taken therefrom.

The first auction sale of mining stock belonging to the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company was held on the 20th ult. at Barkerville, Mr. Byrne, auctioneer. The place was crowded and the bidding very lively. One hundred and eighty-nine shares sold in lots of twenty and twenty-five—bringing four and four and a quarter per share. Most of the purcharers were non-residents of Barkerville and bought by commission or came expressly for the purpose. Should the result of the milling realize the reasonable expectations entertained by the knowing ones the stock will easily reach $10 in a week.

Emerson's Minstrels.

This famed troupe gave a matinee yesterday afternoon and a performance in the evening. Both were largely attended by enthusiastic audiences, who manifested their approbation by frequent rounds of applause. To-morrow evening will be given the positively last performance of the company in this city. An opportunity will not occur again here for many years to witness a first-class Ethiopian entertainment. No one should fail to go. The troupe will sail Tuesday morning to fulfil engagements at Portland and Puget Sound.

How is it that

Everybody is talking so much about Donnelly's yeast powder it is the general conversation at every breakfast and tea table. It's because it makes such light and delightful biscuits people can't help talking about it.

THE steamer Enterprise arrived yesterday at 4:45 p.m. from New Westminster with about $12,000 in treasure, 42 head of cattle from Allison's ranch for F. Reynolds, 1,000 cases and 100 barrels of salmon from Finlayson & Lane, and 300 cases from Deas'. The following passengers came down: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. Barnard, Mrs. Leneyne, Mrs. Agassiz, Judge O'Reilly, Capt. Raymur, Capt. Jemmett, H. Cambie, Miss Beeton, J. F. Alison, Lindsay, R. Wallace, J. Riece, E. Mallandaine, W. Rourke, O. Miller, W. Johnston, McKenzie, McKay, W. A. Clarke, Cameron, A. Barton, J. Atkinson, S. Johnston, W. T. Smith, W. Mainion, Booth.

BLACK BEAR SHOT.—Mr. James Porter of Colwood farm shot a black she-bear on Friday afternoon. The bear had seized a pig. The pig squealed and Mr. Porter, who had his rifle handy, dropped the bear with the first shot. The pig, nothing worse, released from the claws of the bear, ran off grunting with satisfaction, and—another instance of retributive justice—was actually regaled on a part of the dead bear's carcus yesterday, thus turning the tables on the animal that had selected it for her Friday afternoon's dinner.

IMPUDENCE.—On Friday afternoon a man called at a house on James Bay, representing to the servant, who was alone, that he had met two ladies on the bridge and that one of them had told him she wanted her house painted and he was to go and see what was wanted doing. The man examined all the rooms, making the remark in one room as he took up the lady's watch, "Oh, its just 4 o'clock." What the fellow's aim could have been can only be conjectured, as nothing was taken from the house.

THE TOWN OF HASTINGS.—Such is the title of a new town site just surveyed at Burrard Inlet by the Government. The lots will be offered at auction by Mr. J. Morrison at New Westminster on the 28th November at 12 o'clock noon. The chief thing that can be said in favor of "Hastings" is that it is distant as the crow flies, 40 miles from Esquimalt harbor, the richly-endowed natural terminus of the Canadian Railway on the Pacific.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The following passengers were booked for San Francisco up to 4 o'clock yesterday: J. Mayer and wife, Miss D. McAvoy, Jas. Fleming, Benj. Joiner, A. McDonald, Mrs. McDonald and 2 children, J. Fraser, P. Harrington, Wm. Miller. About 20 more had engaged staterooms whose names were not given.

SAFE.—A wager for a considerable amount has been made in town that within two years from October 1st (to-morrow) British Columbia will ship her first cargo of Provincial-grown wheat. The wager is regarded as a safe one for the party on the affirmative side.

THE telegraph line is reported broken in thirteen places between Victoria and Saanich. We can only express the hope that the Czarovitch and Mehemet Ali will agree to postpone active hostilities until communication shall have been restored.

RETURNED.—Mr. Mallandaine and 11 men of the M Division, C.P.R.R. survey, came down yesterday by the steamer Enterprise. The remainder of the staff will be down on Wednesday.

LECTURE.—Mrs. Stowe will deliver another lecture at Central Hall, View street, this evening. Subject: "The Cause of Evil and its Cure."

PERSONAL.—Capt. Bancroft, of the U. S. army, who was so badly shot in the Idaho war, is in town on his way to California.

MR. GEO. ROBINSON, steward of the mail company's steamers, has been permanently transferred to this route.

FOR OTTAWA.—Marcus Smith and T. D. Tims, Esqs., will sail for Ottawa on Monday.

Cariboo Quartz Enterprises.

BARKERVILLE, Sept. 22d, 1877.

DEAR ———:—I received yours from Clinton regarding the purchase of 25 shares in Quartz at $3. . . . came in yesterday, I told him your limit and that they could not be bought at the sale for that price, and he advised me to buy as high as $4 50. I bought you 25 shares to-day at the sale for $4 12½ per share; I also bought 20 for . . . at $4 25 and 20 for . . . at $4 35. The prices ranged from $4 to $4 37½. I am glad that we are getting some new blood in, and that the people below are taking a hand in the enterprise, and I only hope they will be repaid a thousand fold. We have a good fair prospect ahead of us, and if the quartz interest is ever to be developed our company will do it; they are going the right way to work and I am sure that in Harper as an expert and Ingerstoff as amalgamator we have two as good men as we could wish for. There are a great many ledges taken up, some of which are pronounced as good looking ledges by Harper, but not much work is being done yet on them. Most of them are waiting the results of our crushing, I expect that in a week we will have our machinery at work. The first quartz we will start on will be from the Steadman ledge, from which we are now taking out rock and sorting it. Harper has Chinese to do this work as he says they do it the best after a little experience. I expect we will crush from 40 to 50 tons from this ledge to test it, by which time we will have our tunnel in on the Bonanza, and give that a good trial by crushing 40 or 50 tons from from there. We are running a bed-rock tunnel in on it about 155 feet long to strike the ledge about 54 feet deep. We have had assays from it of $29 per ton and from the size of it and the large amount of milling rock in it, and the facility of getting it out $20 per ton would pay with a large mill. Of course we don't expect to make anything out of crushings with our small mill, but only to test the value of the quartz for larger machinery, our small mill taking nearly as many hands to run it as one ten times the power. One thing is sure, and that is, if we are successful that the country can only thank the Elliott Government for their liberal assistance to us in sending Harper here and buying the machinery for us; but principally through Harper, as had he not come we would 'ere this have given up quartz, through our ignorance not knowing good from bad rock. We had a meeting last night for the purpose of incorporating the company, and a committee of five were appointed consisting of Messrs. Byrnes, Neufelder, Thompson, Mason and Rennie, to take steps and report to the company next Thursday. I think this is a good move. Do all you can to get all the outside assistance possible, the fear being that our Cariboo people in their anxiety to secure the success of the enterprise, may load themselves too heavily with stock, while if it is placed in many hands and in small quantities, assessments could be made that would insure complete success. It would be a pity to fail for lack of a little outside assistance. The express is at the door and I must therefore close at once.

Yours, etc.,
. . . . . .

New Westminster District.

(Herald.)

COUNTY COURT.—There were no cases of importance except the appeal case noted elsewhere and a suit brought by Mr. A. McLean against Mr. Bent, for the value of a horse carried off by the latter amongst a band of mules. Judgment for the plaintiff for $200 and costs.

INSPECTION. — Mr. Tims, Financial Agent of the Dominion Government, inspected the Post Office and Savings Bank in this city a few days ago and declared himself perfectly satisfied with the condition of those departments.

BIG STICKS.—A vessel now lying at Hastings Mill took on board the other day three pieces of square (sawn) timber, 26x26 in., and over 100 feet long. They are going to China.

(Guardian.)

ON DIT—The two doctors are following one another round the city canvassing; no sooner does one vacate a seat than it is occupied by the other. Each insists that his election is secure, and he only waits till the day of polling to carry off the palm by an immense majority. Of course there is a vast deal of imagination in all this, and it wouldn't do to tell them that the position of their names on polling day will be at the reverse end of the list.

The tender of Messrs. Merril & Graham, for the erection of a brick store for Mr. Holbrook, was accepted; the amount $1,876.

PAVILION SKATING RINK. — Last night quite a large number of ladies and gentlemen assembled at the new rink, some to skate and others to look on. Skating commenced at 8 o'clock and was kept up till 10, when Prof. Haynes' band, which was in attendance during the evening, commenced to play some charming dance music, and all forsook skating for dancing, which was kept up till close upon 12 o'clock. All present expressed themselves delighted with the hall and the arrangements made for their comfort by Mr. Pettingill.

SAANICH AGRICULTURAL SHOW. — The annual show of the Saanich Agricultural Society will take place on Friday next at the show grounds, East Saanich road A very creditable exhibition is anticipated.

Valuable.

The Voltaic Armadillo, Electrical Bands and Soles. Obstinate cases of Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Cold Feet, Paralysis and other affections of the Nervous System have yielded to this mild and constant but wonderful influence without the use of medicine.—LANGLEY & Co., Sole Agents for B. C. is.

QUICKEST TIME ON RECORD—NEW GOODS TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS FROM ENGLAND.—Brown & White have just received their first instalment of fall goods, comprising new dress goods, ulsters, silk and wool fringes, buttons in great variety, ribbons, silks, laces, nets, woolen cloths, corsets, etc., etc.

PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.—Orders left with M. W. Waitt & Co., Government street, or P.O. box 145, will be promptly attended to by Oliver H. Goodwin. 3m*

REMOVAL.—Dr. R. B. Thompson, Dentist, has removed to temporary offices in the Masonic Building, Government street. *

American Mail.

A mule that can trot a mile in 2:30 is the present boast of Lafayette, Ind.

An eye in a large picture of an actress in the window of a shop at Hartford, Connecticut, astonished the passers-by recently by winking at them. It was some time before the people discovered that the eye was a clever device worked by India rubber springs and a string.

A Virginia young lady died recently after a long and painful illness. Her sister came into the room and threw herself upon the death-bed in a paroxysm of grief. Presently the attendants thought she had fainted. They lifted her up and found that she, too, was dead.

Mr. J. P. Hubbard, of Greenwich, New York, has a fine place in that village, the result of a unique and laudable system of financiering. In his green and salad days Mr. Hubbard, instead of blowing tobacco clouds, put aside the ordinary daily cost of cigars into a fund for future use. This fund has enabled him to build a beautiful residence with grounds tastefully laid out. Young men may apply the moral.

News comes from Rush county, Ind., of the death of a burglar caused by a man past sixty, called Bowling. The robber having secured all he could down stairs, forced this gentleman to precede him to an upper story, keeping in his hand a cocked revolver and an ax. Upon arriving at the room in which he supposed was the treasure, he laid his axe on the floor and proceeded to open a drawer. Mr. Bowling watched his first opportunity, and seizing the ax almost cleft the robber's head from his body.

Brigham Young in forty-five years had 155 direct descendants, and over 200, including sons-in-law and daughters-in-law, who will inherit his six million equitably. This will give them $30,000 each. One newspaper mathematician figures Young's estate as bankrupt, on the assumption that each widow will be entitled to her third. As there are eighteen widows they will be entitled to eighteen thirds, which is thirty-six million. How they can get this amount out of six millions naturally puzzles the most accomplished mathematicians.

Niles G. Parker, of South Carolina, has made a full confession of the frauds charged against him. He admits having issued $10,200,000 of State bonds under cover of seeming to issue $3,200,000. A large sum was given to the Blue Ridge Railroad Company, of which Senator Patterson was President; $500,000 was spent to secure the election of this official, $500,000 was spent in bribing State officers and legislators, and the rest was pocketed by the confederates. The laws by which the deceit in issuing bonds was made possible were drawn up by ex-Governor Chamberlain. On the whole, the disclosure is a most damaging one.

The New York *Times*, after alluding to the old song which says, "Uncle Sam has land enough to buy us all a farm," proceeds to show that the habitable land of the United States is becoming very much limited, and thus concludes—"There is no use in attempting to disguise the fact that the 'national domain' is gone. It does not exist as a fertile and inviting field. Much of it is occupied by substantial and prosperous towns and settlements. Much more is available for the useful purposes which we have indicated. But it is folly to suppose that the nation has much more agricultural land to sell or give away."

British Columbia and the Fisheries Arbitration.

(Toronto Globe.)

There are some persons who do not even yet seem clearly to understand what are the duties devolving upon the Fisheries Commission now sitting at Halifax. Among these are certain British Columbians, who seem to imagine that the Commissioners have some power or intention of dealing with their interests. A Victoria newspaper, after complaining loudly and justly of the manner in which British Columbia was treated by the Washington Treaty negotiators, concludes its remarks with the following:—

"What is the commission doing at Halifax? Is it dealing with the fisheries of British Columbia? Is it tacitly throwing open the rich and almost unexplored mines of sea-wealth to the free use of American fishermen? Or, will it confine itself to fixing the sum to be paid in compensation? If Americans will not recognize the right of British Columbia to gather the fruits of the Washington Treaty, why should American vessels be allowed to catch British Columbia fish? It would really seem to us that the time has arrived for a clear and perfect understanding on this fishery matter."

It may allay the anxiety of our contemporary to know that the Commissioners will not deal with the British Columbian fisheries at all. British Columbia has no local interests in the award whatsoever, but is only concerned as a part of the Dominion in the award being as large as possible, inasmuch as it would be a contribution to the national treasury. In the negotiation of the Washington Treaty British Columbia's rights were wholly ignored, nor were any fishery concessions made to the Americans on the Pacific coast. The then Prime Minister of Canada had only one thing in view connected with British Columbia at that moment, and that was the political advantages in one form or other he might obtain for himself by the union then being arranged. He, and he alone, was in a position to serve her. The proceedings of the Joint High Commission were secret. The result, when announced, startled everybody. While Sir John A. Macdonald was at Washington, helplessly letting everything go by the board, the British Columbian delegates were at Ottawa, and the terms of union were being agreed to. They could know nothing of what Sir John and his fellow-Commissioners were doing, but he knew exactly how matters stood on both sides. Yet he lacked either the sense or the loyalty to his new acquisition to stipulate that British Columbia should derive any benefits that might accrue from the fishery clauses of the treaty. Somebody or other looked after Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland, although the former did not join the Dominion until two years afterwards, and Newfoundland is not a member of the Confederation to this day. But, although British Columbia was then on the very eve of consummating her arrangements for coming in, nobody had a word to say in her behalf. All that can be said for this scandalous piece of negligence is, that it is in keeping with the whole of the shameful record.

The upshot is that British Columbia today is as though no Treaty of Washington had ever been negotiated. The Americans would concede nothing they were not compelled to concede, and have meanly endeavored to render other concessions valueless. The Parliament and Government of the Dominion are powerless in the premises. The Americans have now no right to fish they have not always had, and if they infringe on the rights of Canada in British Columbian waters, they should be driven off. Canadians certainly need not be squeamish in their treatment of any such intruders, and the more firmly the authority of the Dominion is asserted the better. Meantime, our fellow-countrymen in British Columbia, while assured that no new assault will be made on their privileges or rights, may console themselves with the conviction that if they are wronged in any way by the Washington Treaty of 1871, they are only sharers in the common experience of the whole Dominion.

Testing the Keely Motor.

(Philadelphia Press, August 28.)

Last night, at number 1422 North Twentieth street, in the presence of a number of scientific gentlemen, including R. H. DeBurk, engineer; Colonel Bell, of New York; Professor Wise, the aeronaut; Mr. Snyser, Mr. Bickel, and John W. Keely's assistants, Messrs. Moore and Chaunce, and the officers of the company, there was a test given of the machine which has been known as the "Keely motor." All the tests given were successful, the last one being slightly marred by a split in one service pipe, not at all militating against the experiment as a fact. The operation of the machine is so simple that those who have laughed at the telegraph and locomotive will cease to do so the same as they did with those wonderful inventions. A rubber hose, five eights of an inch, is attached to a hydrant, and water, about two or three gallons—is passed into the machine. The gauges with graduated scales, indicate the height of the water column, the result varying, as it does, so far as the result is concerned. Air is forced into the upright column on the left with a pump, the pressure applied being usually about five pounds, some times as much as ten pounds. By application of more air, or by "bleeding" of the gauges, the pressure is regulated at will, and the machine is technically called "set." The operation merely consists, then, in a motion of the lever already described; and certainly last night its results were wonderful, and demonstrated that the power is made from hydrant water and ordinary air, no chemicals about it, and it will drive an engine and transmit power. The vapour passes from a machine into a steel shell and into a condensing apparatus, whence it goes to a small tube, and thence to the engine. The valves were all opened to show the machine was clear, air introduced, and the lever was lifted, the first move showing 1,750 pound-pressure on the gauge to the square inch, and though the chamber for condensing was open the current did not blow out a match held over it. With six and a half pounds air pressure, the gauge indicated 5,200 pounds to the inch, and then 6,700 to the third trial. On the fourth it lifted a large lever, (weighed) registering 5,000 dead weight. The vapour was turned into an expulsion chamber, and the cap flew off with a report like a rifle, frightening half those present, and lastly, a five-horse power engine, with three-fourth inch stroke and twenty-four inch fly-wheel, was driven at 689 revolutions to the minute. The skeptical engineers were convinced that the power was there, and that it could be applied. The present machine cost $60,000. One of the engineers said they had produced fourteen and a half vacum on one experiment, and fifteen is perfect, as all engineers know. A public test will be given shortly.

The Lady Socialists of Russia.

The Russian socialists in London have published the photographic likenesses of the ladies who have been recently condemned to long years of hard labor or distant exile. Their faces are all those of women thoroughly in earnest, and some of them are very fair to see. For among the condemned are several ladies of position, young and handsome and cultured, against whom no charge was made of anything but such a protest against existing institutions as a strong government might well ignore, or, at most, lightly punish. One of them, the fairest of their number, is now fast fading away, her health having been altogether broken by the severity of the imprisonment for nearly two years which preceeded her trial. A poem written by her in prison, and now circulating widely but secretly in Russia, serves in some extent to show what are the feelings which may actuate such enthusiasts as M. Tourgueneff has described. The following lines contain a literal prose translation of its verse;

"My deadly sin, my criminal design, punish O judge, but simply, rapidly; without pretense, without pharisaical mask, without speeches for the defence."

"Having donned peasants' bonds instead of robes, and having 'criminally' doffed shoes. I thither went where groan our brethren, where the poor are and eternal toil."

"Surprised 'in the act,' on the scene of crime have I been brought up for judgment; to what purpose are these witnesses and depositions? All things bear witness against me!

"Ask not, O judge! useless questions. Look at me! I am all proofs. On my shoulders the dress of the people, my feet bare, my hands callous with toil."

"All broken am I by hard labor. But know that in my heart of heart, deeper than all others, is one proof buried—love to my native land."

"Know this, too, that, however criminal I may be, thou, O my jude, art powerless over me. No! I am inaccessible to harsh treatment, and now not thou wilt conquer, But I."

"During my lifetime thou mayest punish me. But my malady has already entered a protest. And over me impends, as thou seest and knowest, only a brief arrest."

"Always holding that same love shall I die. And, dropping the prison keys, over my pillow will bend my banishers with a tear and a prayer."

Auction Sales

AUCTION SALE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell by Public Auction at Sales-room, Wharf street,

Thursday, October 4th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

EX BARK MARMION,

14 Crates of

ENGLISH EARTHENWARE,

Consisting of handled and unhandled London and Irish Teas, Ewers, Basins, covered Chambers, Soap & Brush Trays, Mugs, Vases, Teapots, Creams, Sugars, Dishes, Bakers, Vegetable Dishes, Twiffers, Soups, etc.

ALSO,

38 casks Assorted GLASSWARE.

Plain fluted and star goblets, 3rd pint and fluted ale glasses, bar tumblers, coblers, soda tumblers, lager glasses opal sets and syrup jugs.

Lamp Chimnies.

At commencement of sale—

20 cases Allsop's Pale Ale in prime condition.

Set Platform Scales.

Particulars hereafter.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se15 Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

REAL ESTATE.

City, Suburban and Country Lands,

2½ and 5 ACRE LOTS.

Farming Lands in Esquimalt and Metchosin Districts.

Farming Lands and City Lots in New Westminster.

James Bay Corner Lots.

Suburban Lots in Victoria West.

☞ The above lands will be sold at an early date under instructions received from the Official Administrator, also from non-resident owners.

Particulars in a few days.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se25 Auctioneers.

W. R. CLARKE,

AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Fireproof Brick Building, Yates St.
VICTORIA.

Real Estate, Furniture and Goods of al Descriptions Sold at Reasonable Rates.

A few Private Homesteads to be Sold.

☞ CONSIGNMENTS of Merchandise of all kinds espectfully solicited. apT

NOTICE

Estate of F. RICHARDSON, of Chemainus, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Live Stock, Crops, Farming Implements and other effects, will be sold, by order of the Official Administrator, by Public Auction on the premises,

On Wednesday, 3rd Day of October next, at 12 o'clock Noon.

The Live Stock consists of—

35 head of Horned Cattle,
3 Horses,
50 Pigs,
50 Tons Hay,
3 Tons Potatoes,
Peas and Oats (unthrashed),
Thrashing Machine,
Mowing Machine,
Ploughs, &c., &c.

JOHN MORLEY,
se21dw Maple Bay.

SMOKERS

WE HAVE AGAIN TO CALL YOUR ATTENTION to the numerous

IMITATIONS OF THE JUSTLY CELEBRATED

MYRTLE

Navy Tobacco!

DON'T BE DECEIVED. THE STAMP

T & B

In Gilt Letters is on Each Plug of the Genuine.

FOR SALE BY J. H. TODD,
Sole Agent for B. C.
VICTORIA, July 28, 1877. jy26dwlm

CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS

—The greatest modern invention of the age. Endorsed by the leading physicians as the best. This Truss combines the merits of all others. A child can adjust and wear it night and day with ease and comfort. Price $3 and upwards. ☞ No bogus magnetism claimed for this truss. Beware of the Chinese Peter Funk Trusses. For the genuine article send direct to CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS CO., 615 Sacramento street, San Francisco. se26dw

Bayswater House.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE that they have opened the Store next (south) to Mr. Sehl's Furniture Store, Government street, with a choice assortment of

FANCY DRY GOODS.

Parties favoring them with a call will receive every attention.

se9 M. & F. GOODWIN.

Educational.

YOUNG LADIES' DAY SCHOOL,
KANE STREET, VICTORIA.

MRS. BUSHELL RESPECTFULLY ANnounces that she will commence giving instruction in the various branches of education on Monday, September 24th.
Boys from Six years to Ten.
Instruction on the Pianoforte as usual.
For particulars apply to MRS. BUSHELL.
se16

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE been commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra sts., by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.
A class for boys under 8 years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

Insurance.

Fire Insurance

The Scottish Commercial

INSURANCE COMPANY

Capital £2,000,000, Sterling.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
General Agents for British Columbia.
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NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
ESTABLISHED, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING,
Accumulated Funds - - £3,286,126,
LOSSES SETTLED WITH PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY.
T. ALLSOP & CO., Agents,
se4 Government street.

MARINE INSURANCE.

The Union Insurance Co.
OF SAN FRANCISCO,
ASSETS OVER $1,000,000.

FOR INSURING MERCHANDISE, TREAsure, Commissions, Profits, &c.
Insurances Accepted under English or San Francisco Conditions.
For information, Rates of Premium, &c., apply to
STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
AGENTS.
WHARF STREET, Victoria. ap4

Imperial Fire Insurance
COMPANY.
1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,
LONDON,
Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.
Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
my10 And Washington Territory.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS
FAMILY
BUTCHER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Meats and Vegetables,
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.
Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch
Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.
feb16 LONDON MARKET

New Supplies and Great Bargains
ARE TO BE HAD AT THE
TERMINUS STORE,
QUESNELMOUTH.
Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Patent Medicines
Of the best qualities and in varieties. ALSO,
THE BEST BRANDS OF FLOUR,
BACON & BEANS
At prices to suit the times.
Strict attention paid to Storing and Forwarding of Goods.
ap24dw6m JAS. REID.

Dig Up and Throw Away your Typhoid-Breeding Wooden Drains.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN APpointed Sole Agents in British Columbia for
GLADDING & McBEAN'S
VITRIFIED STONE SEWER AND DRAIN PIPES,
Cheaper than Wood & Warranted Healthier
3-inch Bore Pipe at 20 cents per foot.
Prices for Larger Bores pro rata.
se13 W. R. CLARKE & CO.

J. FINLAYSON,
FAMILY GROCER,
Tea and Coffee Dealer,
Fort street.
BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of the city

ON HING
Dealer in
Groceries, Dry Goods,
Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps
HAS REMOVED
To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.
Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. oct1

BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, JANITOR OF THEATRE Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de2

New Advertisements.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Of the City of Victoria as at 31st July, 1877, and Estimated to 31st December, 1877.

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Outstanding Liabilities and Current Expenses to 31st December, 1877, viz:—		Amount of Revenue available for meeting Liabilities and Current Expenses:—	
W. P. Sayward	$ 1,264 24	Bank B. N. A., Cr. Balance	$ 2,053
Henry Rhodes & Co	1,677 04	Balance of Revenue to be Collected	29,197 00
Thomas Preece	2,278 85	Balance	8,650 39
Extension of Mains	6,600 00		
Coifer Dam Gate and Ditch	2,220 00		
Arbitration Claims and Expenses (Est'd.)	3,000 00		
Actual Current Expenses from 31st July to 31st Dec., 1877	9,478 00		
Interest and Sinking Fund	8,138 00		
Claim, Andrew Astrico	2,500 00		
Men's Labor on the Streets, etc	750 00		
Provincial Government, their proportion of the Wholesale and Retail Liquor Licenses to 31st Dec., 1877	2,000 00		
	$39,906 13		$39,906 13
Balance being probable defict at end of the year	$ 8,650 39		

MEMO:—In the above Estimates nothing has been allowed for Contingencies or Street Improvements.
R. FINLAYSON, J. H. TURNER, C. E. REDFERN, } Finance Committee.
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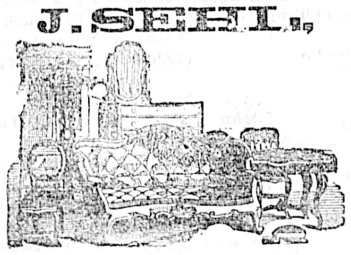
J. SEHL,



Importer and Manufacturer of
FURNITURE,
In every variety, has just received at a Low Rat of Freight, direct from Eastern Manufacturers, the largest and best assortment of
Walnut, Parlor and Bedroom Suites,
EXTENSION & CENTRE TABLES,
Wardrobes, Desks,
PIER AND MANTLE MIRRORS
Of the Finest Description, all of the Latest Styles, which I am enabled to sell at LOWER PRICES than ever before offered in the Province.
An inspection of the Goods and Prices will satisfy you of the fact.
SOLID WALNUT BEDROOM SUITES from $70 upward.
CHAIRS from 50 cents upward.
ALSO—Just received a fine
COLLECTION OF PICTURES,
Consisting of Steel and Mezzotint Engravings, Oleographs, Chromos, Photos and Lithographs,
Walnut, Rosewood and Rustic Frames and Mouldings,
Carved Brackets,
Cornices Window Blinds,
China and Cocoa Matting,
Carpets, Door Mats.
REVERSIBLE PERAMBULATORS,
Spring, Hair, Patent Curled Wool, Eureka and other MATTRESSES made to order by a first-class Upholsterer,
Carpets Sewed and Laid,
Everything warranted as represented.
Goods delivered to any part of the city Free of Charge. no12

WELLINGTON
COLLIERY.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED to
Supply Cargoes of
WELLINGTON COAL
At Their Wharves,
DEPARTURE BAY
AS HERETOFORE.
DUNSMUIR, DIGGLE & CO'Y.
DEPARTURE BAY, 7th June, 1877.
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GARESCHE, GREEN & CO'Y.
BANKERS,
Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN GOLD, SILVER and U. S. Currency. Interest paid on the same on time deposits.
GOLD DUST & U. S. CURRENCY
PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.
Sight Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers on San Francisco, New York and Canada.
EXCHANGE on LONDON
Available in all parts of Europe, England, Ireland and Scotland.
LETTERS of CREDIT
Issued on the Principal Cities of the United States, Canada and Europe.
AGENTS WELLS, FARGO & CO.
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PLAITING & PLUTING MACHINES
FOR SALE.
DRESSMAKING, ETC.

THE LADIES OF VICTORIA ARE INvited by the undersigned to inspect the Fluting and Plaiting Machine now in her possession. Samples of 40 different sorts of Plaiting done by this machine (the only one of the kind in Victoria) constantly on exhibition by the undersigned, who holds from the patentee the sole right for the sale of the machine in British Columbia.
Trimmings made to order in every style.
MRS. HALPENNY,
no2 Dressmaker, etc., Yates st., Victoria.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for othe Payments to be made to me.
de30 LE. LOWENBERG,

Works.

Cowichan District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Cowichan Gaol," will be received by the undersigned, up to 12 o'clock, on Monday, 8th October next, for the construction of a Lockup and Court-room at Cowichan.
Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained, at the office of James Charley, Esq., Maple Bay, and at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works, Victoria.
Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $250 for the faithful completion of the work.
Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.
No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a bond as above.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 24th Sept., 1877. se25

Victoria District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Repairs to Cedar Hill Road," will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on Wednesday, 3rd Oct., next, for the construction of certain repairs to said Road.
Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.
Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a Bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $250, for the faithful completion of the work.
Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.
No Tender will be accepted, unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 25th, 1877. se27

Victoria District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Repairs Cadboro Bay Road," will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on Friday, October 5th next, for the construction of certain Repairs to th said road.
Plans and specifications can be seen and blank forms of tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.
Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a Bond duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $200 for the faithful completion of the work.
Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accorded with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.
No Tender will be received except accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Departm't.
Victoria, Sept. 27th, 1877. se27

Victoria District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Rapairs Cedar Hill Cross-road," will be received the undersigned, up to 12 o'clock on Friday, October 5th next, for the construction of certain Repairs to the Cross-road, from Cedar Hill Road to Pollock's.
Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.
Each tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a Bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $200 for the faithful completion of the work.
Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.
No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 27th, 1877. se27

"QUARTZ ACT, 1877."

THE SUM OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND Dollars will be paid by the Government of British Columbia to "The Company which first erects, at some place north of the Quesnelle River within the Electoral District of Cariboo and in the neighborhood of some well defined Quartz Ledge, a good and sufficient Ten Stamp Quartz Mill capable of crushing ten tons of Quartz per diem, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council," in accordance with the provisions of the "Quartz Act, 1877."
By Order,
T ELWYN,
Deputy Minister of Mines.
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
31st May, 1877. jo1

New Advertisements.

NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,
Gun & Rifle Maker,
FORT ST., opp. Scotch House.
Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,
Central Fire Breech-Loaders,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.
GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED
mh11

GOODACRE & DOOLEY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

BUTCHERS,

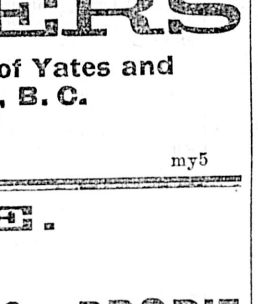
S. E. Cor. of Government & Johnson Streets,
PURVEYORS BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT TO
THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL & COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN, AND HIS HONOR THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.
The Largest and Choicest Assortment of
ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.
QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I.
jy12

PHELPS, WADLEIGH & CO.
Wholesale and Retail
BUTCHERS
Brick Building N. W. Corner of Yates and Broad Streets, Victoria, B. C.
YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED.
VICTORIA, Sept. 17, 1875 my5

NOTICE.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE
HAVING DETERMINED TO
Relinquish the Dry Goods Trade,
OFFER FOR SALE THEIR STOCK OF
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING
HOSIERY, HATS, CAPS, ETC.,
At Greatly Reduced Prices.
BY WHOLESALE ONLY.
WHARF STREET, Sept. 1st, 1877. se2 1m

FRESH GOODS,
NEW STYLES!
H. MANSELL
Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already
Well Selected Stock of
BOOTS & SHOES,



Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.
Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.
Country Orders promptly attended to.
Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.
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REMOVAL
Mr. John Teague,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed his office to
Government Street, below Fort, opposite
oct5 the Hook & Ladder House.

JAMES SYME,
ARCHITECT
MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
je21m VICTORIA, B. C.

Royal Mail Stage,
Between Victoria and Esquimalt,
ON AND AFTER APRIL 1ST.
Leaves Victoria for Esquimalt at 8 and 11½ a. m and 4½ p.m.
Leaves Esquimalt for Victoria at 9½ a. m. and 1½ and 5½ p.m.
Fare, 25 Cents.
Parcels left at W. J. Jeffree's clothing store will be promptly delivered.
mh27 JOHN PORTER, Proprietor.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

DOMINION HOUSE
YATES STREET, NEAR BLANCHARD,
One of the Pleasantest Locations in Victoria.

THIS HOUSE HAS BEEN REFITTED AND Refurnished from top to bottom, and is now one of the most comfortable hotels in Victoria.
Excellent Accommodation is offered to Families and others.
Board and Lodging $6 per Week and Upwards.
Bed and Board per Day $1 00
Single Meals 37½
Beds 50
se15 S. JONES, Proprietor.

PALACE SALOON,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA,
Opposite Barnard's Express Office.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE to their numerous friends and patrons that they will be happy to see them from this date. The Bar has been supplied with the
Best Brands of Wines and Spirits
The market can produce.
se15 im JACKSON & WHITE.

The Douglas House.

THE SUBSCRIBER BEGS TO ANNOUNCE that he has leased the beautiful and commodious premises, lately the residence of Senator Macdonald, at the corner of Gordon and Courtenay Sts., opposite the Presbyterian Church, and has fitted and furnished them as a
Private Hotel and Boarding House.
The rooms are cheerful and sunny, the grounds are an acre in extent and no effort will be spared to make the establishment the most popular Hotel in Victoria. Travelers and others will find excellent accommodation at this Hotel.
Board, with or without Lodging.
FRANK G. RICHARDS.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 1, 1877. av2

Post Office SALOON
Government Street,
OPPOSITE UNION HOOK AND LADDER HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED the above premises are prepared to supply the best quality of
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
CLARKE & SAMPSON, Proprietors.
jy14 3m

Globe Inn, Esquimalt

GENTLEMEN VISITING ESQUIMALT WILL find the best of
Wines, Liquors and Cigars, Good Beds and Meals,
To be had at the GLOBE INN.
y26 WM. SELLECK.

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,
STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD
Victoria, B. C.
Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to 6 50; Board and Lodging per Day $1. Single Meals 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
Fire-proof Safe in the House.
mh18 3m

COLONIAL HOTEL
TRANSFERRED TO THE
Driard House,
VIEW ST., VICTORIA.
First-Class Hotel and Restaurant.
SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION FOR FAMILIES.
Private Dining Rooms and Parlors.
BILLIARDS.

Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.
None but the very best (directly imported) Wine Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
de14 L. S. LUCAS, Prop.

ANGEL HOTEL.
Langley St, Victoria, B. C.,
FRED. CARNE, - - - - Proprietor

RATES OF CHARGES:
Board and Lodging per Week $6 00
Board per Week 5 00
Board and Lodging per Day 1 00
Single Meals 37½
Beds 50
A Fireproof Safe in the House. se3

ROCK BAY HOUSE
BETWEEN THE TWO BRIDGES,
ESQUIMALT ROAD.

IS ONE OF THE MOST COMFORTABLE Wayside Houses in the Province; and being furnished with the very best
ALES, WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS
Is a favorite stopping-place for persons bound to and from Victoria.
My friends are invited to give me a call.
ap30 3m GUS. KOLP

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